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Via ECFS Marlene H. Dortch, Secretary Federal Communications Commission 445 12th Street, S.W. Washington, D.C. 20554

## Re: In the Matter of Petition of USTelecom for Forbearance Pursuant to 47 U.S.C. Section 160(c); WC Docket No. 18-141; Category 1

Dear FCC,

Please don't take away independent ISP's ability to compete. For years, I was stuck with Comcast and their frequent outages and non-existent customer service. After switching to a small local ISP, I not only pay lower prices, I get better, more consistent service. Do not allow the most powerful corporations to have exclusive access to the infrastructure that ALL of us depend on. We have a right to choose a better service provider, a right to competition in such an integral part of our world.

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